MINUTES FOR THE COURT OF APPEAL STATE OF CALIFORNIA SECOND APPELLATE DISTRICT

January 25, 2006

DIVISION ONE

Court convened at 9:00 a.m.

Present: Spencer, P.J., Vogel (Miriam A.), J., Mallano, J., Rothschild, J. and S. Stahl, Deputy Clerk.

Each of the following:

B175018 Moore v. Avaya, Inc.

B175530 Armenta v. Mueller Co., et al.

B177656 Perrera et al. v. Windsor

Argument waived, cause submitted.

B177543 Ma

v.

Johnson

Merits:

Argued by Peter M. Fonda for respondent. Appellant waived argument. Cause submitted.

Mallano, J., leaves the bench.

B178635 Norton

v.

Norton

Merits:

Argued by Phillip Norton, appellant in propria persona. Respondent waived argument. Cause submitted.

DIVISION ONE (Continued)

Mallano, J., returns to the bench.

B182889 Muskin

v.

City of Beverly Hills

Merits:

Argued by Kurt L. Schmalz for appellant and by Saskia T. Asasmura for respondent. Cause submitted.

B183719 Voylokov

v.

Voylokov

Merits:

Argued by Vyacheslav Voylokov, appellant in propria persona. No appearance for respondent. Cause submitted.

B175952 Jibilian et al.

v.

Franchise Tax Board

Merits:

Argued by Derek L. Tabone for appellants and by Elisa B. Wolfe-Donato, Deputy Attorney General, for respondent. Cause submitted.

Mallano, J., leaves the bench.

B176537 Kaufman

v.

Diaz

Merits:

Argued by Frances Diaz, appellant in propria persona and by Andrew J. Waxler for respondent. Cause submitted.

DIVISION ONE (Continued)

Mallano, J., returns to the bench.

Spencer, P.J., leaves the bench.

B178743 Coalinga Regional Medical Center

V.

Department of Health Services

Merits:

Argued by Thomas J. Weiss for appellant and by Richard T. Waldow, Deputy Attorney General, for respondent. Cause submitted.

Spencer, P.J., returns to the bench.

Vogel, J., leaves the bench.

B173230 McMurray

v.

The City of Burbank

Merits:

Argued by Julie L. Woods for appellant and by Norman Pine for respondent. Counsel for appellant and respondent shall file letter briefs by February 1, 2006. Submission deferred until February 1, 2006.

B173832 Michael

v.

Denbeste Transportation et al.

Merits:

Argued by David J. Cooper for appellant, by John J. Stumreiter for respondent Denbeste Transportation, by Nick Gedo for respondent Secor International, Inc. and by J. Patrick Jacobs for respondent Chemical Waste Management et al. Cause submitted.

Court adjourned.

DIVISION ONE (Continued)

B180920 People (Not for Publication)

V.

Brock E. O'Kennard

The judgment is affirmed.

Vogel (Miriam A.), J.

We concur: Mallano, Acting P.J.

Rothschild, J.

B179906 People (Not for Publication)

V.

Jeffrey L. Glore

The judgment is affirmed.

Vogel (Miriam A.), J.

We concur: Spencer, P.J.

Mallano, J.

B187033 Jesse L., Sr., (Not for Publication)

V.

Superior Court, Los Angeles County

(Los Angeles County Dept. of Children and Family Services, r.p.i.)

The petition is denied.

Vogel (Miriam A.), J.

We concur: Spencer, P.J.

Rothschild, J.

DIVISION TWO

B182082 Environmental Charter High School (Not for Publication)

Centinela Valley Union High School District

The order denying Centinela's motion for attorney fees is affirmed.

Environmental shall recover its costs on appeal.

Ashmann-Gerst, J.

We concur: Boren, P.J.

Doi Todd, J.

DIVISION THREE

B180454 Dubin (Not for Publication)

v.

Arnold, et al.

The judgment from which defendants have appealed is affirmed. Costs on

appeal to plaintiff.

Croskey, Acting P.J.

We concur: Kitching, J.

Aldrich, J.

B186314 Sandra M. (Not for Publication)

Superior Court, Los Angeles County

(L.A. County Department of Children and Family Services, r.p.i.)

The Petition is denied.

Croskey, J.

We concur: Klein, P.J.

Kitching, J.

DIVISION THREE (Continued)

B183269 American Alternative Ins. Corp., et al. (Certified for Publication)

v.

Superior Court, Los Angeles County (Aero Falcons, LLC, et al., r.p.i.)

The petition is denied. The order to show cause is discharged. Aero Falcons and Sands Media are entitled to recover their costs in this original proceeding.

Croskey, J.

We concur: Klein, P.J.

Kitching, J.

DIVISION FOUR

B180923 People (Not for Publication)

v. Greer

The judgment is affirmed.

Hastings, Acting P.J.

We concur: Curry, J.

Willhite, J.

B183283 Los Angeles County, D.C.S. (Not for Publication)

V.

Zsigmond Z.

The jurisdictional and dispositional orders are affirmed.

Hastings, J.

We concur: Epstein, P.J.

Willhite, J.

DIVISION FOUR (Continued)

B178214 People (Not for Publication)

v.

Ritchie

The conviction for possession of a controlled substance, count 6, is reversed and we remand to the trial court to conduct an in camera examination of the personnel records of Deputy Hoyt. If there is no discoverable information, the judgment should be reinstated. But if there is discoverable material, which could lead to admissible evidence, the trial court should grant the requested discovery and provide a new trial on count 6. The conviction for counts 3 and 4 of grand theft firearm are reversed, and those counts stricken. In all other respects, the judgment is affirmed.

Hastings, J.

We concur: Epstein, P.J.

Curry, J.

B117225 People (Not for Publication)

v.

Salazar

The judgment is modified to impose a \$200 restitution fine pursuant to Penal Code section 1202.4 and a \$200 parole revocation fine pursuant to section 1202.45. In all other respects, the judgment is affirmed. The clerk of the superior court shall prepare and deliver to the Department of Corrections an amended abstract of judgment.

Hastings, J.

We concur: Epstein, P.J.

Curry, J.

DIVISION FOUR (Continued)

B172804 People (Not for Publication)

v.

Roberto C.

The judgment is affirmed.

Willhite, J.

We concur: Epstein, P.J.

Curry, J.

B179129 Clement (Not for Publication)

v.

Kaiser Foundation Health Plan, Inc. et al.

The portion of the judgment in favor of the Kaiser respondents dismissing the action against them in case number LC065501 is reversed. The portion of the judgment in favor of Lorna Burkhead and Timothy Horita dismissing the actions against them in case numbers LC065815 and LC066218 is affirmed. Each party is to bear its own costs on appeal.

Curry, J.

We concur: Epstein, P.J.

Willhite, J.

B177811 Ingrassia (Not for Publication)

B179497 v.

Fortunato

The order directing Ilene to pay Anthony expert witness fees as trial court costs is reversed. The judgment is affirmed in all other aspects. Each party is to bear his or her own costs on appeal.

Hastings, Acting P.J.

We concur: Curry, J.

Willhite, J.

DIVISION FIVE

B173070 Henry Gackstetter (Certified for Partial Publication)

v.

Patrick Frawley

The judgment is reversed as to Henry Gackstetter's recovery against defendants Patrick Frawley, et al. and affirmed as to Cross-Complainants' Patrick Frawley, et al.'s recovery on their First Amended Cross-Complaint against Henry Gackstetter in the amount of \$52,000. The matter is remanded to the trial court to enter a judgment dismissing the Amended Complaint of Henry Gackstetter and awarding Patrick Frawley, et al. \$52,000 against Henry Gackstetter. Appellants and Cross-respondents Patrick Frawley et al. shall recover their costs on appeal.

Mosk, J.

We concur: Turner, P.J.

Armstrong, J.

DIVISION SIX

B183840 Department of Social Services (Not for Publication)

v.

Kathleen D.

The judgment (order terminating parental rights) is affirmed.

Coffee, J.

We concur: Yegan, Acting P.J.

Perren, J.

B184246 Santa Barbara County Child Protective Services,

v.

Alejandro R.,

Filed order dismissing appeal.

DIVISION SIX (Continued)

B178312 People (Not for Publication)

v. Ponce

The judgment is affirmed.

Perren, J.

We concur: Gilbert, P.J.

Coffee, J.

B183131 People (Not for Publication)

v.

Belasquez

The judgment is affirmed.

Coffee, J.

We concur: Gilbert, P.J.

Yegan, J.

B181251 Benitez (Not for Publication)

v.

Rio School District

The restitution award for back pay and benefits is stricken without prejudice to Benitez's right to pursue those damages in Case No. CIV222364. Benitez is awarded reasonable attorney fees and costs on appeal with respect to the Brown Act violation, in an amount to be determined by the trial court on noticed motion. (See e.g., *Bell v. Vista Unified School Dist.*, *supra*, 82 Cal.App.4th at p. 689 [fees and costs apportioned between Brown Act violation and causes of action for damages].) As modified, the judgment is affirmed.

Yegan, J.

We concur: Gilbert, P.J.

Coffee, J.

DIVISION SIX (Continued)

B177351 Wolf (Not for Publication)

v. Wolf

The order denying Christine's motion to set aside the judgment pursuant to section 2122 is affirmed. Dick shall recover his costs on appeal.

Perren, J.

We concur: Yegan, Acting P.J.

Coffee, J.

B177375 People (Not for Publication)

v.

Samuel T.,

The true finding on count one of the petition (possession of marijuana) is reversed. The true finding on count two of the petition (resisting an officer) is affirmed. On remand, the court shall enter an order granting Samuel's motion to suppress and shall conduct further appropriate proceedings.

Coffee, J.

We concur: Gilbert, P.J.

Perren, J.

B175149 David J. Dunn (Certified for Publication)

V.

County of Santa Barbara

Judgment in favor of the County on Dunn's regulatory takings claims and his claims for violations of his substantive due process, equal protection, and civil rights is reversed. In all other respects, the judgment is affirmed. The parties shall bear their own costs on appeal.

Perren, J.

We concur: Gilbert, P.J.

Coffee, J.

DIVISION SIX (Continued)

B178046 People (Certified for Partial Publication)

v. Crites

The judgment is affirmed.

Perren, J.

We concur: Gilbert, P.J.

Coffee, J.

B181106 People (Not for Publication)

v. King

The judgment is reversed and the cause remanded to the trial court. Upon motion by defendant within 30 days of the date the remittitur is filed in the trial court, the court shall vacate appellant's guilty plea. The court shall then grant appellant's motion to suppress evidence. If appellant does not move to withdraw his plea within 30 days of the filing of the remittitur in the trial court, the court shall reinstate the judgment.

Yegan, J.

We concur: Gilbert, P.J.

Coffee, J.

B177938 People (Not for Publication)

V.

Cesar B.

The judgment is affirmed.

Coffee, J.

We concur: Gilbert, P.J.

Perren, J.

DIVISION SIX (Continued)

B179729 People (Not for Publication)

v.

Lagunas

The judgment is modified to include an award of 92 days of presentence conduct credits in addition to the 614 days of actual custody time already awarded. The superior court shall prepare an amended abstract of judgment and forward a copy to the Department of Corrections. As so modified, the judgment is affirmed.

Coffee, J.

We concur: Gilbert, P.J.

Perren, J.

DIVISION SEVEN

B181034 International Gift & Confections Limited (Not for Publication)

V.

Hunt et al.,

The judgment is affirmed. Respondent(s) to recover costs.

Zelon, J.

We concur: Perluss, P.J.

Johnson, J.

B171603 Torossian (Not for Publication)

v.

Gazarian

The judgment is affirmed. Respondent(s) to recover costs.

Zelon, J.

We concur: Johnson, Acting P.J.

Woods, J.

DIVISION SEVEN (Continued)

B183621 People (Not for Publication)

v. Rish

The judgment is affirmed.

Zelon, J.

We concur: Johnson, Acting P.J.

Woods, J.

B180615 Raine (Certified for Publication)

v.

City of Burbank et al.,

The judgment is affirmed. Respondent(s) to recover costs.

Perluss, P.J.

We concur: Johnson, J.

Woods, J.